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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application for:

**Guy Valembois, et al.**

Serial No.: 09/913,971

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For: CONTROLLED RUPTURE DEVICE FOR  
FIBERS

Examiner: Chambers, Troy

Art Group: 3641

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND  
AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Commissioner:

In connection with the Office Action mailed October 9, 2003 regarding the above-referenced application, Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the following remarks below.